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Synod Is Ahead As Thanksgiving Nears

There Was An October Decrease, But Early Gifts Make An Increase of $853.92

The Home at Barium Springs enters the Thanksgiving month of November with the Synod of North Carolina $853.92 ahead in its regular giving in the first seven months of the Church year That is not as fine a gain as was reported at the halfway point of 1942-1943, and the reason is that October's regular contributions in 1942 were over $600.00 less than in October of 1941. Yet, it is with rejoicing that this advance can be revealed and it is encouraging to authorities as the month-of-months, insofar as income from friends is concerned, is inaugurated.

For the first time in 1942-1943, a double-column tabulation of the receipts is necessary for October, for last month $313.00 of Thanksgiving Offering arrived, the gifts involving four different Presbyteries. For the most part these were individual contributions which friends sent ahead of time, asking that the donations be credited to specific churches. These expressed wishes are always carried out.

This Thanksgiving amount of $313.00 for October, by the way, is $77.00 more of Thanksgiving Offering than had come to Barium through October 31, 1941. It is encouraging to the note that the same individuals who responded in the two years gave contri-

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GOOD NEWS

Smyrna Sunday School in Orange Presbytery is the latest organization of that kind to join the "once-a-monthers", for Smyrna instituted the Offering-per-month plan in September and has remitted to Barium Springs the second Sunday contributions for September and October. A cordial welcome goes to that Sunday School, and in order that friends everywhere might rejoice with Barium Springs over the adoption of this plan by Smyrna, it is being recounted in this issue of The Messenger.

Several Sunday Schools have recently forwarded donations to Barium Springs, but it has not yet been learned whether these have adopted a specific plan of aiding the Home. These included Centre in Fayetteville Presbytery; North Charlotte in Mecklenburg and Stanford Sunday School in Wilmington Presbytery.

CATECHISM ON BARIUM SPRINGS

A 12-page catechism was prepared for the use of the Auxiliaries and Circles for the fall emphasis on the Home at Barium Springs, and 25,000 of these were printed and distributed. The interest which has been displayed in this catechism and the comments about it have led officials to publish those questions and answers in full in this November issue of The Messenger, which is looked upon as the Thanksgiving copy. The complete content of the catechism is as follows:

Question. When and where was the first movement started toward the establishment of an orphans' home by Presbyterians in North Carolina?

Answer. In Charlotte in 1883. A few women, aided by men who were later active in a Home established by Synod, started such a movement, which was largely a private enterprise.

Q. When did Synod establish a Home at Barium?

A. On January 11, 1891, when the private Home officially became a project for the entire Synod of North Carolina.

Q. How many children were on the original roll?

A. Before moving to Barium Springs there were 25 children enrolled; 12 of them came to Barium.

Q. What is the name of the Home at Barium Springs?

A. Presbyterian Orphans' Home, even though many people call it the Barium Springs Home. The corporate title is "The Regents of the Orphans' Home."

Q. What catastrophe happened in November of 1891 during the first year of the Home at Barium?

A. The old two-story hotel building, which stood on the site of the present Rumple Hall and which housed all the children in the Home, was destroyed by fire.

Q. What happened to the children?

A. They were temporarily housed in nearby Statesville until plans could be made to rebuild.

Q. Since the first building was destroyed, what is the oldest one there?

A. Annie Louise Cottage. Immediately after the fire, the late George Watts of Durham said that he would give the necessary money for one building if Synod would raise the money for another.

Q. Did Synod accept the challenge?

A. Yes, Annie Louise was started and before it was completed work had begun on Synod's Cottage.

Q. What year was that?

A. 1892. This means that Annie Louise and Synod's Cottages are over 50 years old.

Q. What are the names of the cottages at Barium, when were they built, and what age children occupy them?

A. (a) Baby Cottage, built by Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Stowe of Belmont in 1924, in which live boys and girls two to six years of age. (b) Annie Louise, built by George Watts of Durham in 1892, girls 6 to 9 years. (c) Synod's, built by Synod in 1892, boys 6 to 9 years. (d) Lees', built in 1900 by Mrs. S. P. Lees of New York, boys 10 to 13. (e) Howard, built in 1903 by George Howard of Tarboro, girls 9 to 12. (f) Jennie Gilmer, built in 1924, with a bequest from Miss Virginia Gilmer of Greensboro and gifts from C. W. Johnston of Charlotte and P. Pearsall, of Wilmington, boys 10 to 13. (g) Rumple Hall, built by Synod in 1897, and named for Dr. Jethro Rumple, president of the Board of Regents, girls 12 to 14. (h) Lottie Walker Building (Woman's Building), built by the ladies of Synodical in 1920, high school girls. (i) The quadrangle of cottages, all built in 1941, in which high school boys live - Cannon Cottage, built by Mrs. David H. Blair of Washington, D. C.; Stultz Cottage, built by W. Z. Stultz of Charlotte; Wallace Cottage, built by Miss Nancy Wallace of New York and Mrs. Mary Borden Wallace Lee of Winston-Salem; and Johnston Cottage, built by the ladies of Synodical and named for Jos. B. Johnston, present Superintendent.

Q. Name some of the other buildings at Barium and who erected them.

A. Infirmary, built by two brothers, James and Wm. H. Sprunt of Wilmington; Alexander Industrial building with a bequest of S. P. Alexander of Charlotte; Burroughs building (office), constructed by J. C. Burroughs of Charlotte; High School, built by John F. McNair of Laurinburg; Grammar School, built by W. N. Reynolds of Winston-Salem and Mrs. Cameron Morrison of Charlotte; Sewing Room and Laundry, built by C. W. Johnston of Charlotte; Printing Office and Shoe Shop, built by Franklin Avery Sherrill of Statesville; Little Joe's Church, built by Synod.

Q. Approximately how many buildings are at Barium?

A. In addition to the 20 mentioned above there are nine residences, seven barns, three tenant houses, the steam plant, smokehouse, canning house, apple house, two potato houses, sheds of several kinds and numerous other small buildings.

Q. State, in brief, the origin of the name "Little Joe" for the Church.

A. When Joe Gilliland entered the Home on September 1, 1901 there was no church here, it being necessary to walk a mile and a half to church. Joe was too small to walk that far. He repeatedly expressed to his matron and friends the thought that when he grew to be a young man he was going to build a church at Barium with two porches on it. He was stricken suddenly and died on February 1, 1904 after a one-day illness. In going through his meagre possessions a bank was found labeled "For a Church". In the bank were 45 pennies. The story of this boy was told throughout Synod. Gifts, both large and small, started pouring in, and in 1907 the Church was constructed. Because it started from Joe's 45 cents it was named "Little Joe" in his honor. His ambition was realized three years

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Slim Attendance At 1942 Home-Coming

Mrs. Earl Jordan, of Charlotte Is Selected As Secretary of the Alumni Association

The 1942 Home-coming of the alumni of Barium Springs was an exceptionally quiet affair as compared to former occasions of this nature, and the attendance was extremely limited, as had been expected by officials because of the situation prevailing due to the war and attendant restrictions. In reality, the attendance was better than had been anticipated, and those who were able to "make" it had a grand time visiting around and meeting their various friends on the staff and among the alumni. The alumni were treated to a football victory over Troy high in the afternoon.

There was a short meeting of some of the returning sons and daughters after lunch in the dining room, and during the session Mrs. Earl W. Jordan, formerly Ruth Freeman, was elected secretary of the Alumni Association. Her address is Route 8, Charlotte. She is filling the unexpired term of the former Miss Lucile Burney, who became Mrs. James Fred Edwards last May and who now lives in California. Officers are selected for two-year terms, which means that Mrs. Jordan will serve until the next Home-coming.

Usually a letter is sent out ahead of time and a Thanksgiving Offering envelope enclosed to the alumni. Those who cannot come send their Thanksgiving Offerings

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GRAND RECORD

Of the 222 children receiving funds for their clothing from organizations and individuals, fall amounts for 158 of them had already been received by October 31st. According to Miss Lulie E. Andrews, clothing secretary, this is the best record insofar as she remembers in the receiving of money for clothing in either the fall or spring. Some of the absentee amounts for the other 64 were coming in during the early days of November, and it should be an almost perfect record by the end of this month.

There are 62 children who receive clothes from outside the Home. Of that number, 28 had received their boxes of clothes by October 31st, and funds for their shoes had been forwarded for 31. Miss Andrews commented that this was less than usual, but this picture should change considerably during November.

MY THANKSGIVING OFFERING

Date _____

Ernest Milton, Treasurer,
Presbyterian Orphans' Home,
Barium Springs, N. C.

Dear Mr. Milton:

Enclosed is my check for $_____ a personal Thanksgiving Offering to the Home.

Name _____

_____

Address _____

Alumni News

MARRIAGES

Martin-Frazier

James William (Bill) Martin and Miss Lurline Willis Frazier, both of Winston-Salem, were married at the manse of the Reynolda Presbyterian Church on October 24, 1942. Bill worked with the carpenter's gang when at Barium Springs and after finishing here he obtained employment in Winston-Salem where he has been located for the past several years. Mr. and Mrs. Martin are living at 1118 Jefferson Ave., Winston-Salem.

Blue-Harlow

Some time ago we heard that Herbert Blue was married, but only recently received the information that his bride was Miss Frances Harlow. The ceremony took place on May 7, 1942. Herbert is a Sergeant with the Marines and is in photography. He enlisted with the Marines in 1934 and except for a short time, July 15, 1939

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Ernest Milton, Treasurer,
Presbyterian Orphans' Home,
Barium Springs, N. C.

Dear Mr. Milton:

Enclosed you will find $_____ in memory of:

_____
Name of Deceased City

_____
Age Date of Death Lingering or Sudden?

_____
Survivor to Be Written Address

_____
Relationship of Survivor to Deceased Number of Other Near Relatives

Name _____

Address _____

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"I give and bequeath to the REGENTS OF THE ORPHANS' HOME OF THE PRESBYTERIAN SYNOD OF NORTH CAROLINA, *Incorporated Under the laws of the state of North Carolina,* (HERE NAME THE BEQUEST)

News From Most of the Cottages at Barium

HOWARD COTTAGE

Here are the beanstringers back with you again. The beans are coming in rather slowly now. I think we have just about finished for this year.

Hallowe'en brought us lots of fun. We had a Girl Scout party Friday night. We invited the Rumple Hall Scouts. It was given by Misses McNeil, Hardin and Burgess.

Sunday night some of us went to Statesville to Church. All of us couldn't go because there was no gas in the truck. So we decided to send our officers as delegates.

A few weeks ago the fourth grade from Statesville came to see the fourth grade here and had a party.

We had four girls on the honor roll. We hope to have more next time. They were Vivian Jacumin, Melva Powell, Shirly Inman, all from the fourth grade and Kathleen Monroe, from the fifth grade. Each child will receive a defense stamp when they make the honor roll.

We had two girls to get show tickets: Betty McMannan, third grade, and Kathleen Monroe, fifth grade. Betty Sue Wolfe received a show ticket for having the best manners.

The following had visits from their people: Shirly Inman, Juanita Young, Gwendolyn Landrum, Jennie Lee Phillips and Kathleen Monroe.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Bridges, Route 2, Concord, gave us a weiner roast about two weeks ago. We wish to thank them very much. Mrs. Bridges is the sister of Miss Burgess, our matron.

We are really getting thrilled over our clothing boxes. The following have received theirs: Lorene Hall, Clara Mangum, Helen Morgan, Katherine Stevens and Betty Lou Williams.

Yesterday we wore our new shoes and socks. We couldn't hardly walk straight for looking at them.

We have been receiving lots of Birthday gifts. We wish to thank everyone who sent them to us.

Clara Mangum received a bond for her birthday present.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Holt and son, Durham, have been sending three defense stamps to each of us. We have gotten the stamps, but we don't have the address. We would like very much to have your address for we wish to write and thank you. We tried once but the letter came back.

We are going on a scrap drive this afternoon.

We have been picking beans to make money. The money will go on our scout dues. —Howard Girls

RUMPLE HALL

These are the dishwashers bringing you the highlights of Rumple Hall.

Hallowe'en is here and everyone is busy making false-faces and many other funny things.

We want to thank Mr. Johnston for letting us go see the "Pied Piper." We sure did enjoy the show.

We have started having a girl-scout patrol at Howard and Rumple Hall and we have already started collecting scrap metal to give to defense. It is lots of fun but it called for work also.

We received our report cards last week. Ernestine Baldwin and Mildred Monroe made the honor roll. We hope to have more next time.

The game our boys played with Albemarle today was a thriller and we beat, 20-14. This was our first victory of the year. Our boys really played hard.

The following have had visits from their people: Nita Shepherd, Dorothy Shepherd, Willie Mae Robinson, Frances Rhyne and Mildred Monroe.

—Betty Lou Hooten
—Sadie Gray Buie
—Mildred Monroe

BABY COTTAGE
First Floor

Since writing you last two of our boys have had a birthday. Their names are Billy Burke and Frankie Smith. One of our big girls also had a birthday.

Some good friends in Statesville brought Billy Burke a big wagon. We are all having lots of fun with it. He surely was lucky. Some friends in Mooresville sent him some candy and a big ball. He shared the candy with all of us. Our matron took us down to the spring, and we had supper there. We cut the birthday cake after Billy had blown the candles out. We are not having the usual birthday dinner for the duration.

We had a trip to the fair and saw the lady walk and ride a bicycle on a wire.

Our football season will soon be over. The game with Albemarle was very good. The score was 20-14 in favor of Barium, although the Albemarle team played well.

We had the following visits from our people: Albert Clough's sister and her friend came and Maggie Katen's sister and her friend came to see her.

Uncle Joe Erwin brought us some suckers for which we wish to say, "I thank you."

Our kindergarten teacher gave us a Hallowe'en party.We had a nice time, and went to supper with our caps on and our horns blowing. Everyone in the dining room seemed to enjoy our little parade. Someone would blow their horn a little louder than the first one, and every one had a hearty laugh, which helped to digest our supper. John Bullard gave us a Hallowe'en pumpkin. We want to thank him.

Thanksgiving will soon be here, and we have much for which to be thankful—for friends and a safe place in which to live.

Home-Coming is next Friday. There'll be some of the ex-Barium boys and girls, we hope, and a fine football game. —Baby Boys

ANNIE LOUISE

It has been only a short while since we wrote you last, but lots of things have happened.

We got our report cards last Thursday. They were about like they were last year the first time we got them. We hope to improve a great deal before we get our next grades.

There were six of our girls on the honor roll: Helen Hawley, Peggy Joyce Land, Eloise Morris, Jackie Porterfield, Hazel Creech and Pattie Inman. We are going to have more honor rolls next time, we hope.

Eloise and Mary Frances Morris had their mother visit them last week.

Most of us were in the chapel program given by the rhythm band, the Junior and Senior glee clubs Thursday. This was the last of our big chapel programs until basketball season is over. Peggy

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after his death.

Q. Who supports Little Joe's Church?

A. Mainly the workers at Barium. For a good many years it received Home Mission aid, but it is now self-sustaining. There are a few neighbors who are members at Little Joe's, but the overwhelming majority of members are the children and the staff at the Home. In the benevolent giving emphasis is placed upon all church causes, foreign missions usually getting the largest sum of any cause.

Q. Who is the present pastor of Little Joe's Church?

A. Rev. Thos. C. Cook.

Q. State what is done for the religious training of the children.

A. All of the organizations in a normal church are in existence at Barium Springs. The boys and girls go to Sunday School, Church, and they have their Junior, Intermediate and Senior Young People's Societies.

Q. Do any of the children go to school elsewhere than at Barium?

A. No, all of them attend school in the two buildings that are on the campus.

Q. What part does the State pay in the support of the school?

A. The State pays the salaries of eight members of the teaching staff, (around $8,500.-00 annually) but does not pay anything for the upkeep of the buildings nor is any money paid by the state for janitor's service, etc. The local schools are not set up as a separate entity, but are, on the records, under the Troutman schools of this district. If once set up as a separate unit, the State would pay more of the teachers than at the present time.

Q. Approximately how many acres are there in the property?

A. 1150 - 500 in the big farm, 100 in the truck farm, 100 in orchards, 100 in buildings, campus and roads; 100 in pure pasture-land, 150 in woodland pasture, and the remaining 100 is woodland.

Q. What is the value of the properties?

A. The auditor's report for 1941-1942 had a value of $1,154,574.97, made up of endowment, capital and operating funds.

Q. How much of that is endowment?

A. $262,547.58, but the income on slightly over $69,000.00 of endowment is designated for special purposes other than the regular operating expenses.

Q. How has this endowment been created?

A. Mostly through bequests of friends who specified a permanent investment of their legacies, only the income to be used. In a few isolated instances there have been donations from living people for the endowment.

Q. Who supports the Home?

A. The Presbyterians of the Synod of North Carolina principally.

Q. What per cent of the income is dependent upon the generosity of friends?

A. 80%.

Q. What are the main sources of contributions?

A. Regular giving by church budgets, Sunday Schools and Auxiliaries and by all three of these groups at the Thanksgiving season.

Q. What part is regularly given and what part comes as Thanksgiving Offering?

A. Usually it is approximately 50-50. Sometimes the regular giving is slightly over 50% of the receipts, though more often the Thanksgiving Offering is over 50% of what Synod gives in a year's time.

Q. Explain the ways of regular giving.

A. The Home is in Synod's budget for 9%, Synod recommends to the Sunday Schools an Offering each month since the budget giving would not take care of the needs, and the Auxiliaries themselves inaugurated the plan of $1.00-per-month per Circle.

Q. What part does each source play in the regular 12-month total?

A. An example is 1941-1942, when Church budgets sent 36.9%; Sunday Schools forwarded 42.6%, and Auxiliaries dispatched 20.5% of the regular income.

Q. What is the highest and lowest receipts from Synod in the past 20 years?

A. The high-water mark was touched in 1927-1928 when $109,372.03 was contributed, and the low ebb was in 1933-1934 when $67,106.46 was donated. Incidentally, Synod's total of $96,-143.88 in 1941-1942 was the best since 1927-1928.

Q. Is the Home in debt?

A. No. In 1933-1934 the peak indebtedness of the Home was reached when Barium Springs owed $107,490.74 at the end of the fiscal period. All indebtedness was eliminated by the close of 1936-1937 and the Home has been operating debt-free since that time. Not a penny contributed today goes toward debt retirement or in interest costs. It can all be used in caring for the children and in maintaining the Home.

Q. How many children have been enrolled since the establishment of the Home?

A. On October 1, 1942, 2,084 had at one time been residents, which included those in the Home now.

Q. What are the ages of acceptance?

A. Children can be accepted if they are walking (seldom under two years of age, though one set of twins entered when they were 18 months old) and 12 years is usually made as the limit. Exceptions are made in the latter age, of course, but adjustment is harder if they enter the Home after they are 12 years old.

Q. What is the annual "turnover" in population?

A. It is usually around 35 children in a normal year, but between May and September of 1942, 62 children left the Home - 41 graduating and some going back to re-established homes. That was an abnormal year, for 41 is the largest graduating class in history.

Q. What happens to them when they graduate?

A. If the boy or girl can't get work on their own volition, officials aid them. No child ever leaves the Home without the superintendent knowing where they will be located. The case worker keeps in contact, too, with the graduates.

Q. Do any of them go to college, and if so, which ones?

A. Yes, those who are ambitious for a college education and who have the ability, though the number is governed by the amount of money available.

Q. How are they financed?

A. Some friends have established a loan fund for college students, and more recently a $15,000.00 scholarship fund has been given for investment, the income to be used in the college education of Barium boys and girls.

Q. What is Barium's health record?

A. In a family averaging 325 children from 2 to 18 years of age there have been no deaths since June, 1933, and only one death since July, 1926.

Q. Do you have a resident physician and is any operating done at Barium?

A. No, there is no resident physician but one of Statesville is annually employed and subject to call at any time. Operating is done in a Statesville hospital, with recuperation largely in the Infirmary at Barium under a competent nurse.

Q. What is the annual drug bill?

A. In 1941-1942, the drug bill for the 324 children in the Home was $464.52, which was an average of a fraction over $1.43 per child for the entire 12 months.

Q. Describe briefly the health program.

A. Each January there is a health clinic of a general nature and a tubercular clinic. Any child failing to gain normally in height or weight goes back for a second examination to find out why. At proper periods, inoculations, vaccinations and diptheria anti-toxin are given. Everything possible of a precautionary nature is taken to prevent illness. A dentist spends three weeks going over the teeth of all children. Special dental work during the year is done in Statesville.

Q. How much weight does the usual Barium family of over 300 gain annually?

A. Slightly more than a ton - or an average of about six pounds per child.

Q. How are the children clothed at Barium?

A. In two ways: Either by local organizations or individuals who make the clothes, or by sending money to Barium Springs for the clothes. In either case, the money is always sent for shoes, which can be more acceptably fitted locally.

Q. If money is sent, how much does it cost to clothe a child?

A. $35.00 a year is the average, sent in two annual installments of $17.50 in the fall and spring. Until the spring of 1942, the amount asked was $30.00 a year, but higher prices made it necessary to raise the sum. It doesn't cost that much for smaller children, but it costs more than that for the larger, but $35.00 is asked regardless of the size of the child. When children reach high school age, the money is preferred, as the clothing can be done more economically at Barium. The material can be purchased at wholesale prices, the equipment is available for making the clothes and the senior girls are here to sew them.

Q. How many are clothed by organizations and individuals who make the clothes, and how many with money sent in?

A. Around 65, the others with contributed sums.

Q. Do you give the children any vocational training?

A. Yes, but not in the sense that there is a vocational department in the school. In the regular routine of the Home, the girls learn to keep house, to cook, to sew, to do laundry, etc., and the boys can get training at the dairy, in

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the orchards, on the truck and big farm, in the shoe shop and printing office, on the mechanical group or with the carpenter. All children over 10 years of age have some particular task to perform. The Baby Cottage boys and girls contend that they have an "awfully" hard time, since they have to brush their teeth twice a day. The Baby Cottage children, as well as most of the boys and girls at Barium, make up their own beds.

Q. Who is the present superintendent of Barium and how long has he been there?

A. Jos. B. Johnston, who has completed over two decades, having come to the Home in July of 1922.

Q. How many other superintendents have served, who were they and what were their tenures of office?

A. Four. Rev. R. W. Boyd, 1891-1908; Rev. R. F. Wakefield, 1908-1910; Rev. W. T. Walker, 1910-1920; E. McS. Hyde, acting superintendent from 1920-1922.

Q. What is the name of the monthly publication?

A. The Barium Messenger, which is published in the printing office at Barium.

Q. To how many Presbyterian Homes is it sent?

A. Approximately 25,000.

Q. Do you receive it?

You answer that one; if your answer is "no", drop a postal card to Ernest Milton, Barium Springs, and your name will be promptly added.

Q. How many boys and girls in the service of the country?

A. On October 1, 1942 close to 125 boys were in the various branches and over half a dozen girls, with many others slated to be accepted soon.

Q. How many gallons of fruit and vegetables are canned annually?

A. Usually in the neighborhood of 6,000.

Q. Is all of the foods used grown at Barium?

A. Yes, the surplus vegetables and fruits are canned. Some of the products put aside for winter consumption are string beans, tomatoes, tomato juice, apples, apple sauce, ketchup, pie peaches, desert peaches, peach preserves, peach butter, peach pickle, cucumber pickle, pear pickle, jams, beets, sour kraut, etc. They also make vinegar at the canning house.

Q. Do the children do this work?

A. The majority is done by the boys and girls, but in the peak canning season a small amount of additional outside help has to be employed.

Q. Does this take care of all the needs?

A. No. When it is revealed that it takes 24 gallons of peaches for a meal, and when it is recalled that meals are served 1,095 (365 x 3) times a year, that much food (staggering though it might seem to some) is far insufficient for the annual needs. No jellies are put up, and very few jams.

Q. State briefly some of the food requirements.

A. The children drink 125 gallons of milk a day; when scrambled eggs are served it takes 600 eggs scrambled with five or six gallons of milk; four bushels of potatoes (sweet or Irish) covers the need for a meal; if meatloaf is served, it takes a quarter of a beef; or if ham is on the menu, it takes six good size hams to give each child a slice (all the meat used is raised at Barium); four bushels of tomatoes will take care of one meal's needs; 14 large bakers of cornbread, supplemented by 25 loaves of lightbread would take care of the bread needs.

Q. Do you serve meals only at Thanksgiving?

A. No, though a good many people might think so, since they make contributions only once a year. These Barium children eat three meals a day, 365 days a year just like any other child. There are usually over 1,000 meals served daily. Those who give only once a year, though, can make their Offering large enough to take care of some of the other 364 days.

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butions as large, or better, than those a year ago. That has also been true of Thanksgiving sums during November. It is hope that this early trend is going to be a guide to what will come later in November and throughout December.. The table follows:

Presbytery	Oct. Receipts	Thanksgiving	Am't Received Per Mem.	Total Per Mem for Year
Winston-Salem	$315.16	$	5.8c	33.7c
Kings Mountain	335.43		5.2c	30.4c
Concord	583.97	203.00	6 c	29 c
Mecklenburg	925.83		4.9c	28 c
Albemarle	257.50	5.00	5.1c	24.7c
Wilmington	503.13		5.8c	23.9c
Orange	435.63		3 c	20 c
Granville	247.45	100.00	5.2c	19.1c
Fayetteville	646.82	5.00	4.6c	18.7c
SYNOD	$4,250.92	$313.00	4.9c	24.8c

M. Walker, of Charlotte, came to see us, and thought our dog was very fine so she sent him a collar. He also received a pretty wash cloth in the shower. Billy Dunn gives him a bath every Saturday. He is a very happy dog. We enjoy him, and we are taking good care of him.

Thanksgiving is just around the corner. We have many things for which to be thankful.

Mack Berryhill had a nice surprise when he came home from school and found his mother here to pay him a visit.

It is getting a bit cold here. We have put on our winter shoes, and heavier clothes. It takes a lot more time to get dressed in the mornings for breakfast.

Paul Barnes and Clyde Reid are having twin birthdays today, November 3rd. Both are eleven years old and in the same grade.

INFIRMARY

We wonder if you thought we had forgotten that among our other duties or pleasures we have this monthly letter to write.

We have had quite a few new children to come in during the past two months to live with us and we surely hope that they will enjoy living with us as much as we like having them here.

We won our first game Friday when we played Albemarle. The score was 20-14. We have Home-Coming here Friday, November 6. We play Troy High School then.

The girls have had visits from some of their people lately. Among these were E. D. Feimster, Blanches' brother. Lucille Smith had a friend from her home town to come. Martha Price's and Mae Allen Barrett's mothers came to see them. Instead of Lillie Belle Smith's (no kin to the other Smith) people coming to see her she went to Greensboro to visit Mrs. John Lambert, a friend of hers. She reported having a good time.

We have had 16 tonsilectomy patients here. We have had very little sickness. Hervey Stricklin was in the hospital for a week and down here for a week with a broken shoulder that he got in a football game. He's up now.

Mrs. McNatt had a short visit from her son, Charles and his wife.

Mr. Hethcox, the principal, was sick with the flu for a few days. We are glad he is up now.

—The Infirmary Girls

BABY COTTAGE
Second Floor

It seems that before we turn around twice after writing the cottage news Mr. Milton is asking for the news again. But, we don't mind for we like to write to you.

We won't get to write to you again before Thanksgiving so here's hoping that each of you will have a happy Thanksgiving.

We went to see a football game here Friday, and we surely did enjoy seeing our boys win the game from Albemarle. This is the first game that our boys won this season, but it won't be the last one, "I betcha."

We surely did enjoy Hallowe'en Friday evening. Miss McNeil, our Kindergarten teacher, gave us a nice party with horns and everything. We surely enjoyed that. Then Saturday night we had another party at our cottage. We bobbed for red apples and then the old witch walked in. She scared us most to death but I believe that every one finally got an apple. We finished up with popcorn and candy. We want to thank all who had a part in making our Hallowe'en so happy.

Saturday Uncle Joe Erwin, our good friend from Rutherfordton, came and brought each of us a sucker. "Thank you, Uncle Joe," we surely did enjoy them.

Slim Attendance At

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to the Alumni Secretary. Such a letter was not mailed this year, and as a result the amount of Thanksgiving Offering that could be turned over to the Home on Home-coming Day was considerably less than usual. However, several of the alumni have been sending their donations direct to their Home without any reminder and a good many more of these are expected during the Thanksgiving season and immediately thereafter.

All alumni would have thoroughly enjoyed Cheek Freeman's broadcasting of the football game over the loud-speaking system for part of the contest. Cheek called for assistance from his sister, Mrs. Jordan, and Lester King, but neither would come down to the sidelines to give him moral support or to relieve him at the mike. Cheek had a lot of "ohs" during his broadcast. Maybe it was because he was feeling good as Barium's eleven sped to victory.

MUSIC CLUB

The Barium Springs Music Club held its first meeting on October 13th in the Annie Louise living-room.

The following pupils took part on the program: Leona Hall, Elsie Vest, Mary Morgan, Gwendolyn Landrum, Peggy Neel, Myrtle Rushing, Maggie Caton, Edith Powell, Hazel Walker, Peggy Joyce Land, Lucile Stinson, Billy Everett, Dewey Bell Buie and Hannah Price. All played piano solos. Lillie Bell Smith gave Current Events in the musical world.

After the program the officers for the new year were elected as follows:

President, Martha Price.
Vice-President, Lillie Bell Smith
Secretary, Dixie Lee Buie.
Reporter of meetings, Billy Everett.

Mrs. George Neel, Miss Taylor and Miss Hardin were invited guests of the club.

The piano pupils were given tickets by Miss Greene to see the picture "Fantasia." This was enjoyed by all.

We hope that a lot of our boys and girls will get back for Home-Coming this Friday. We are always so glad to see them. We also hope that our football team will win the game from Troy that day.

We enjoyed going to the school Chapel program last Thursday morning and hearing the glee clubs and the toy band play. Most of our girls played in it. We surely were proud of them.

Yesterday we had a group of visitors from Mills Home. Come to see us again soon, won't you?

We hope that our circle from Mooresville First Church, Mrs. G. W. Taylor, chairman, will come up real soon and see how nice our sitting room looks since we have put up the new shades that they gave us. We thank each of you for giving them to us.

Several of our little girls have gotten their fall clothing boxes and have already enjoyed wearing some of their pretty clothes. When Lois Dellinger opened hers up, candy came tumbling out of every pocket, sock, nook and corner. She is so happy that she starts laughand we can hardly stop her.

One day Patsy Dean, our baby girl, wanted to go some place. Mama O'Kelly said, "Patsy, you are spoiled, did you know it?" Patsy said. "I know it but I dits to go."

So long. —The Baby Girls

Cottage News

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Joyce Land was leader of the rhythm band. She led us while we sang the Star Spangled Banner.

Helen Barnes, Mary Frances Morris and Jean Feimster have gotten nice clothing boxes from friends recently.

Yesterday was Hallowe'en and we all truly observed the real spirit of the day. Miss Hardin gave us a party last night. We had Hallowe'en favors of horns, whistles, poppers and tops. We had punch, crackers and peanuts for refreshment.

In Sunday School we have been doing some memory work. We have recited the 13th chapter of First Corinthians and today we, together with the Howard girls, recited Philippians 3:7-11.

Elmina Johnson is up from the infirmary now. We hope she won't have any more boils.

—The Annie Louise Girls

SYNODS COTTAGE

Here we are again.

It has been two months since school began. We got our report cards last week. Some were good and some were not so good, but are all going to work harder than ever, so they will all be good next time.

We have a little new boy at our house. His name is Tommy Scott. We like him a lot, and we think he likes to stay with us.

Pleas Norman took us on a walk last Sunday. We had such a good time.

Some of our boys are learning songs and poems about Thanksgiving. They are going to Mooresville and Charlotte to present programs.

We went to Belk's in Statesville the other night to get our winter shoes. Now old Jack Frost can't nip our toes.

Wish you could come and see our playroom since we have our pictures and curtains up. It looks so bright and gay.

—The Wigglers

JENNIE GILMER

Three new boys have come to live with us since we last wrote you. They are Sam and Andy Piner from Fayetteville and Bill Scott from Winston-Salem.

We are enjoying the football season. The boys who live in our cottage play on the 85- and 100-pound teams. We have enjoyed trips to Children's Home, Gastonia and Morganton.

Circle No. 8 from Mooresville has adopted us and we are very happy to have friends to remember us at special times. We hope these ladies will pay us a visit soon.

Our baby, little Joe Spencer, now has two teeth and Joe is the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Spencer.

Thirty boys now live in our cottage. Here is a list of them as we have had several changes since writing you last:

Bobby Allen, Curtis Baldwin, Charles Barrett, Charles Campbell, Jack Clark, John Denton, Max Dellinger, J. D. Everett, Johnny Ferguson, Herbert Good, Jimmy Hayes, Ray Huddleston, Jack Jones, Billy Lybrand, Geo. Landrum, Johnny Meroney, Grady Mundy, Kenneth Manus, Jack Mangum, Bill Price, Sam Piner, Andy Piner, Donald Pettus, Bill Rogers, James Reid, Thad Stevens, Herman Smith, Bill Scott, Edward Walker and Jerry Young.

John Denton had a visit from his brother this week.

We all sympathize with James Reid in the death of his father.

—Jack Jones

SEWING ROOM

This is the sewing room girls, bringing you the latest news from the busy sewing bee.

Our busy workers are as follows: May Lynne Jones, Lillian Sanders, Bertha Lee Broome, Lilly Bryant, Evelyn Coppedge, Marie Morgan, Peggie Lou Buie, Janie Smith and Jean Fletcher, with Miss Mona Clark as an instructer.

We have been very busy making school dresses for our little girls and now we are sewing for our high school girls.

Football is still in its swing. We have lost the majority or our games this year, but we had a turn for the better in our game with Albemarle and we're hoping to be victorious in the remaining games.

Friday is our Home-Coming day and we are looking forward to seeing many of our boys and girls back home again. We have our big game with Troy. This is our first game with them but we all know that we will see a good game.

While the boys' main thought now is football the girls are very excited to show what they can do along their line of sports when we will start our basketball practice tomorrow. All of our sewing room girls are going out except Mae Lynne Jones, Janie Smith and Peggie Buie. For most of us this is our first year in basketball but don't worry, you will get tough when you play Barium Springs.

We are all very sorry to see one of our classmates, Leslie Smith, leave us to join the Coast Guard but we are mighty proud to know that he is one of the many boys in our armed forces who is helping to lick the Axis. Here's wishing you the best of luck, Leslie. The Senior Class is giving him a surprise farewell party tonight, hoping he won't forget us while fighting for our country.

And now to sum up our news with a bit of gossip!!!!

We all have been wondering why Bertha Lee has appreciated the song, "He Wears A Pair of Silver Wings," until Johnnie came marching home (Saturday on a furlough). He wasn't bad looking, Berp. You had better keep an eye on him.

It seems that May Lynne Jones, has a favorite spot to park in the sewing room when it comes to cleaning up, so we have appointed her to carry the dust pan.

We all have been wondering why Jean Fletcher's and Lillie Bryant's big smiles are wearing off here lately. Could it be that those Davidson Fresh. are staying home a while to study?

It's nearing Christmas, you know, and those exams are not often easy. But buck up Jean and Lillie. It won't take Dick and Grover long.

It seems that Janie Smith and Marie Morgan have the same trouble in the sewing room and that is getting their machine to run regularly, but since Miss Clark has oiled them and gotten them back into shape, the work is speeding up. On Fridays we have much more work done. Ask us. Evelyn and Lillian have finally gotten those new coats they have been talking about so long. We can all agree they have very good tastes.

—The Sewing Room Girls

LEES COTTAGE

Here it is time for our news and this finds us all busy with our work at school, on the truck farm, and in playing football.

Some of us have been in on a few of the 85-pound team games. Not many of us have had enough experience to play in regular contests yet. We hope to make the team next year.

Report cards came out one day last week, only one boy made the honor roll. That was Cecil Creech. We are all working hard to improve.

Sunday six of the boys were baptized in Little Joe's Church. They were Charles Stevens, Bert Atwood, John Bullard, Paul Dellinger, Charles Faircloth, and Terrell Hall.

Our good friends in Mooresville, who are in Mrs. C. A. Mayhew's Circle, gave us a bathcloth shower, and also candy. We appreciated this. The cloths make scrubbing up a lot easier.

Mrs. J. R. Ervin, of Charlotte, paid us a visit recently and brought us some delicious home-made cookies and candy.

When the Regents met Mrs. J.

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to Dec. 1, 1941 has been in the service. He was in the Marine reserve and was called back to duty when the emergency came. Sgt. and Mrs. Blue are living at 413 D Ave., National City, Calif. A recent visitor to his home was Capt. Leonard Fort, who obtained Herbert's California address from a letter which Mr. Johnston writes to all in the service each month and in which he encloses a list of the latest addresses.

Gaskill-Hudson

Olive Gaskill, of Washington, D. C. and Glen Walton Hudson, of the United States Army and Hickory, were married in the First Baptist Church of Hickory on October 25th. Olive lived for some time in Hickory after her graduation but has more recently been employed in the national capitol. Mr. Hudson attended Lenoir-Rhyne and was employed at the Terminal office in Washington before entering the service. Mr. and Mrs. Hudson are living at 1419 Columbia Road, N. W., Apt. 5, Washington, D. C.

Wilson-Wicker

Margaret Wilson and R. A. Wicker, both of Charlotte, were married at York, S. C. on October 5th, this information being revealed by Margaret when she was at Barium on Home-coming Day. Mr. Wicker is a tool maker with the War Production Board. Margaret is continuing her work with the Hudson Hosiery Mills, but they are keeping house at 310 W. 10th St., Charlotte.

William Cranfill, of Chicago, Ills., was married on October 14, 1942, and while he gave us plenty of information as to his bride, he never did reveal her name before they were married. He told us that Mrs. Cranfill was from Minnesota, had attended the University of Minnesota for two years, and at present is a secretary for the Russell Electric Co. in Chicago. William has been affiliated in the postoffice, but obtained a leave of absence to take a welding course, at which he is now working with the Stewart-Warner Radio Co. Mr. and Mrs. Cranfill are living at 4546 N. Racine Ave., Chicago. He had already had his physical examination when he wrote, so he may soon be with the services.

BIRTHS.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene V. Bosworth, of Washington, D. C. announce the birth of a son, Eugene Larry, on November 1st. Mr. and Mrs. Bosworth live at 1216 6th St., S. W., Apt. 5, in the national capitol.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Chesley Pate, of Winston-Salem, announce the birth of a son, V. Chesley, Jr. We don't know the date of the birth, but it was around the first of November. Mrs. Pate is the former Nancy Stafford. Mr. Pate is in the U. S. Army, but was home on furlough when the happy event occurred.

Clothing Funds

Albemarle 1st S. S., Jim Harris B. C.	17.50
Albemarle 1st Aux., B. W's Circle No. 1	17.50
Belmont S. S., Minnie Hall B. C.	17.50
Bethpage Aux.	17.50
Bluff Aux.	3.50
Caldwell Memorial S. S., Steadfast L's. B. C.	3.50
Cameron Aux., B. W's. C.	3.50
Cameron S. S.	17.50
Central Steel Creek Aux., Girls' Circle	3.50
Concord 1st Aux., Circle 10	35.00
Concord 2nd Aux.	3.50
Cornelius C. E.	3.50
Covenant (O) S. S., College Girls' Class	10.00
Covenant (W) Aux.	10.50
Dallas Aux., Miss Artelee Puett	15.00
Dr. Thos. C. Johnson, Lumberton	30.00
Dunn 1st S. S., L's. B. C.	3.50
Durham 1st Aux., B. W's. C.	3.50
Elise Aux.	3.50
First Vanguard Aux.	17.50
Fountain Aux.	5.00
Gastonia 1st S. S., Herald B. C.	17.50
Gastonia 1st Aux.	210.05
Goldsboro 1st Aux.	102.75
Goshen (KM) Aux.	3.50
Highland Aux.	35.00
Highland S. S.	22.50
Howard Memorial Aux., Mrs. Mabry Hart	5.00
Mrs. Job Cobb	8.50
Mrs. Geo. Holderness	8.50
Kannapolis 1st Aux., B. W's. C.	3.50
Laurel Hill Aux.	3.50
Laurinburg Aux.	70.00
Lincolnton Aux.	35.00
Miss Ruth Cox, Ellerbe	3.50
Monroe Aux.	35.00
Monroe S. S., Y. L's. B. C.	3.50
Mooresville 1st Wharey Memorial Aux.	70.00
Morganton S. S.	17.50
Mulberry Aux., B. W's. C.	3.50
Myers Park Aux., Circle No. 13	17.50
Circle 4	35.00
Circle 10	17.50
Circle 8	17.50
Circle 7	6.00
New Bern 1st Aux.	17.50
New Hope (W) S. S.	35.00
Oakland (G) Aux.	3.50
Olney Aux.	14.00
Pinetops Aux.	17.50
Prospect Aux.	21.00
Providence (M) Aux.	40.00
Raeford Aux., B. W's. C.	3.50
Roanoke Rapids Aux. & B. G's. C.	35.00
Rutherfordton Aux.	17.50
Saint Andrews (W) Aux.	35.00
Saint Andrews (W) S. S., Euphian Class	17.50
Saint Paul (M) S. S., White Fidelis Class	17.50
Sanford Aux.	35.00
Smithfield Aux.	17.50
Sugaw Creek, B. W's. C.	35.00
Tenth Avenue S. S., Mrs. B. S. Gray's Class	3.50
Thyatira Aux.	22.35
Vass Aux.	3.50
Wadesboro Aux.	17.50
Westminster (O) Aux., Joanna Circle	3.50
Wilmington 1st Aux., Mrs. Platt Davis' & Mrs. Edgar C. Garrabrant's Circles	17.50
Circle 5	3.50
Wilmington 1st S. S., Mizpah Class	3.50
Winston-Salem 1st S. S., Mary E. Rogers B. C.	17.50
Winter Park Aux.	17.56
TOTAL CLOTHING	**$1,465.71**

REGULAR

Miscellaneous

Miss C. H. Stone, High Point	1.00
Statesville Brick Company, Statesville	47.00
A. E. Scharrer, Gastonia	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. Beaumert Whitton, Charlotte	25.00
J. R. Gaither, Newton	15.00
A Friend	200.00
George C. Robbins, Lenoir	45.00
A Burlington Friend	15.00
Phil, Emily & Edward Willer, Kannapolis	3.00
A Friend	5.00
Charles H. Litaker, Charlotte	40.00
Miss Alice McLean, Saxapahaw	25.00
Lieut. Frank McP. Sinclair, Foreign Service	5.00
Eugene Bosworth, Washington, D. C., Barium Alumnus	1.00
F. B. Wiggins, Norlina	5.00
A Friend	50.00
C. G. Pepper, Hamlet	1.00
Mrs. David Geekie, Spencer	4.00
Miss Frances Geekie, Spencer	2.00
Mrs. Joy Bailey, Rockingham	3.50
TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS CONTRIBUTION	**$495.50**

For Messenger

A Friend	1.00
Mrs. W. T. Baker, Lumberton	1.50
Mrs. A. E. Brown, Mooresville	2.00
TOTAL FOR MESSENGER	**$4.50**

In Memorium for Church

Mrs. Neal McKay, Wagram:	
Mrs. E. L. McNair, Atlanta, Ga.	5.00
Mrs. Emma H. McClintock, Charlotte:	
Dr. & Mrs. J. Mc DeArmon & children, Charlotte	12.00
Mr. & Mrs. H. Flynn Wolfe, Charlotte	5.00
Mr. C. E. Hutchison, Mount Holly:	
Mr. & Mrs. R. A. Spooner, Charlotte	5.00
Rev. & Mrs. Frank B. Rankin & Richard E. Rankin, Mount Holly	3.00
Mr. Cecil Carter, Mount Airy:	
Mr. & Mrs. John Sobotta, Mount Airy	5.00
The Mother of C. S. Warren, Lenoir:	
Geo. C. Robbins, Lenoir	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. Orrin Robbins, Lenoir	10.00
Mrs. D. M. McIntosh, Wilmington:	
Wilmington 1st Aux., Circle 2	6.75
Dr. & Mrs. F. B. Haar, Greenville	2.00
Mr. Mason W. Woodside, Charlotte:	
W. L. Isenhour, Charlotte	5.00
Mrs. W. H. Foushee, Sr., Charlotte:	
Mr. & Mrs. W. H. Suttenfield, Charlotte	5.00
Mr. Tom Long, Kannapolis:	
Mrs. W. M. Harris, Matthews	1.50
Mrs. Frank Conder, Sanford:	
Mrs. W. M. Harris, Matthews	1.50
Mr. Daniel W. Teller, Salisbury:	
Salisbury 1st S. S., Campbell B. C.	2.00
Mr. John Henry Land, Jr., Chadbourn:	
Mr. & Mrs. F. T. Burney, Chadbourn	10.00
Chadbourn Aux.	3.00
Mr. Clinton W. Toms, Jr., Durham:	
Mr. & Mrs. F. J. Wright, Winston-Salem	5.00
Mr. James F. Thompson, Indian Trail:	
Mrs. W. M. Harris, Matthews	2.00
Mr. John Archie Long, Sr., Haw River:	
Mr. & Mrs. P. C. Beatty, Haw River	3.00
Mr. & Mrs. J. Harvey White, Graham	2.50
Mrs. D. H. Wallace, Wallace:	
Dr. J. D. Robinson, Wallace	10.00
Mr. H. F. Shoaf, Charlotte:	
Mr. & Mrs. S. A. Hart, Mooresville	5.00
Miss Kate Taylor & Miss Lulie E. Andrews, Barium Springs	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. J. N. Stribling, Charlotte	2.50
Mr. J. M. Knox, Huntersville:	
Mrs. J. M. Harris & Mrs. Elva Harris, Albemarle	2.00
Mr. Kenneth F. Menzies, Hickory:	
Mr. & Mrs. J. J. Willard, Hickory	5.00
Mrs. Charles W. Worth, Lake Waccamaw:	
Mr. & Mrs. F. T. Burney, Chadbourn	10.00
Mr. W. S. Abernethy, Sr., Charlotte:	
Sugaw Creek S. S., Kate Neal B. C.	1.50
Mr. & Mrs. J. L. Walthall, Concord	2.00
Rev. R. G. Matheson, Raleigh, their former pastor:	
Culdee S. S.	37.50
Mr. N. D. Edwards, Sr., who died June 12, 1939, on the anniversary of his birthday:	
The family of N. D. Edwards, Sr., Wilmington	2.00
Mr. James Davis Bordeau, her son, Wilmington:	
Mrs. G. C. Bordeau, Wilmington	1.00
Mr. Floyd P. McClelland, Charlotte:	
Mr. & Mrs. W. D. Pearce, Raleigh	3.00
Mrs. Eustace Steele, Charlotte:	
Castanea Aux.	3.00
Mrs. Alice Thompson, Fairmont:	
C. E. Grantham, Fairmont	3.00
Mrs. Lucy G. Elvington, Fairmont	5.00
Mrs. S. L. Cushing, Statesville:	
Mrs. Geo. W. Taylor, Mooresville **From Statesville**	3.00
Statesville 1st Church, Deacons	2.50
Auxiliary, Circle 1	2.00
Young Men's B. C.	2.50
Young Woman's B. C.	1.00
Mr. & Mrs. R. L. Poston & Miss Carrie Louise Davidson	3.50
Mr. & Mrs. Frank C. Culbreth	3.50
Dr. & Mrs. D. O. Montgomery	3.00
Mr. & Mrs. W. T. Warlick	1.50
Mr. & Mrs. Karl Deaton	1.00
W. L. Gilbert & Family	2.50
Mr. & Mrs. J. Neely Kincaid	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. Gordon Scott	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. George H. Emery	3.00
Mr. & Mrs. David H. Andrews & Mrs. D. S. Thomas	3.00
Major & Mrs. Wm. L. Allison	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. L. C. Wagner	10.00
Herman Wallace	2.50
Mrs. J. B. Fraley	3.00
Mr. & Mrs. C. M. Steele	3.00
Herbert & Violet Sherrill	3.00
Mr. & Mrs. L. A. Parks	3.00
Mr. & Mrs. C. A. Poole	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. Robert A. Collier	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. N. M. Lewis & N. M. Lewis, Jr.	4.50
Mr. & Mrs. Fuller Sams, Jr.	3.00
W. H. Allen	5.00
Mrs. M. A. Henderson, Davidson:	
Mallard Creek S. S., John McLaughlin Class	2.00
Miss Lizzie Young, Davidson:	
Mr. & Mrs. Ernest Milton, Barium Springs	3.00
Mrs. Isabel Re. Seagle, Lenoir	2.50
Mr. & Mrs. J. Harvey White, Graham	2.50
Mr. & Mrs. John C. Bernhardt, Lenoir	10.00
Mr. & Mrs. George H. Richmond, Concord	3.00
Mrs. Milton Arrowood, Lincolnton:	
Mrs. J. A. Lore, Lincolnton	1.00
TOTAL CHURCH MEMORIALS	**$302.75**

In Memorium for Operating Fund

Mrs. S. L. Cushing, Statesville:	
Dr. & Mrs. S. W. Hoffman, Statesville	3.00
Miss Rose Stephany, Statesville	5.00
TOTAL OPERATING MEMORIALS	**$8.00**

Churches

Alamance	12.00
Back Creek	19.29
Banks	2.14
Bensalem	28.48
Bethesda (F)	5.13
Bethpage	19.21
Caldwell Memorial, 2nd quarter	72.41
Camp Greene	.70
Charlotte 2nd, Regular	140.00
1941 Thanksgiving	12.00
Cherryville	3.75
Clinchfield	1.05
Commonwealth Avenue	1.07
Concord Iredell	12.75
Covenant (KM)	11.24
Covenant (W), 2nd quarter	178.62
Cypress	2.57
Dallas	3.00
Davidson	30.00
Duncan's Creek	2.35
East Belmont	2.64
Ellerbe	1.98
Fairview (C)	1.88
Faison	3.92
Foster Memorial	.36
Franklin	3.38
Gastonia 1st, Mrs. & Mrs. J. L. Kendrick	5.00
Geo. W. Lee Memorial	4.50
Gilwood	2.31
Goshen (KM)	6.06
Hamlet	7.17
Harmony (C)	1.25
Harrisburg	15.20
Hickory 1st	27.20
Hills	.45
Hopewell (M)	2.52
Immanuel	8.58
Indian Trail	.79
Kannapolis 1st	10.50
Laurinburg	14.87
Lenoir Budget	53.25
A Friend	20.00
Little Joe's	3.60
Marion	3.57
Marston	1.52
Maxton	34.99
McGee	3.50
Monroe, 2nd quarter	18.10
Mooresville 1st	8.69
Mount Carmel	.60
Myers Park	53.13
New Hope (KM)	10.66
Old Fort	2.25
Paw Creek	3.15
Pearsall Memorial	27.00
Philadelphia	1.56
Plaza, Budget	7.00
M. J. Dean	10.00
Pleasant View	2.00
Prospect	4.42
Raeford	11.27
Reidsville	54.34
Riverview	4.00
Rockfish	1.35
Rockingham	1.75
Rutherfordton	11.25
Saint Andrews (M)	2.10
Saint Andrews (W), Sept.	22.59
Salisbury 1st	26.95
Salisbury 2nd	1.77
Selwyn Avenue	1.51
Sharon	3.50
Sherrill's Ford	.75
Shiloh (C)	.68
Shiloh (O)	4.84
Spencer	2.98
Spindale	4.18
Steele Creek 2nd quarter	92.00
Sugaw Creek	21.00
Tenth Avenue	10.50
Thyatira	6.33
Unity (C)	3.93
Waldensian	20.63
Wallace	9.00
Warsaw	4.65
Westminster (W)	18.00
Wilmington 1st, Sept.	35.16
Winston-Salem 1st	125.00

Sunday Schools

Alamance	15.82
Albemarle 1st	38.95
Antioch (F)	3.91
Badin, Ladies' B. C.	3.00
Baker's, Sept. & Oct.	10.14
Bensalem, Aug. & Sept.	2.39
Bethel (M)	6.36
Bethesda (F)	10.54
Bethesda (O)	2.30
Black River, Sept.	6.17
Bluff	2.50
Buffalo (G)	22.23
Burlington 1st	45.75
Burlington 2nd	15.10
Cameron	15.12
Cameron Hill, April, May & June	4.50
Oct.	2.15
Candor, Aug.	2.00
Sept.	3.00
Oct.	3.00
Centre (F)	5.00
Chadbourn, Sept.	7.45
Cherryville, Sept.	22.80
Church-in-the-Pines	8.00
Clarkton	14.55
Concord Iredell	6.10
Cook's Memorial, 2nd quarter	10.00
Covenant (F), 2nd quarter	34.00
Cramerton, Sept.	2.79
Oct.	4.09
Culdee	8.25
Cypress	3.00
Dallas	2.35
Davidson	9.00
Dunn 1st, July	8.53
Aug.	10.20
Sept.	12.47
Vanguard Class, 2nd quarter	33.24
El-Bethel	4.00
Elise	4.91
Eno	5.00
Erwin	7.54
Farmville (A)	5.77
Fayetteville 1st	10.00
Fountain	6.03
Gilwood	18.50
Godwin, 2nd quarter	9.25
Greensboro 1st, Men's B. C.	23.50
Y. M's. B. C., Oct. through Mar.	50.09
Greenville, first six months	24.00
Grove (W)	6.00
Harmony (C)	5.00
Hephzibah	1.41
Huntersville	23.16
Iona, July	1.52
Aug.	2.36
Sept.	2.06
Iron Station, 2nd quarter	3.69
Jonesboro, Sept. & October	11.56
Landis, July, Aug. & Sept.	3.00
Laurinburg	55.07
Lexington 1st, Men's B. C., Sept.	2.24
Oct.	2.87
Lillington, July, Aug. & Sept.	19.57
Lincolnton	64.00
Little Joe's	4.00
Long Creek	9.25
Lumber Bridge	2.40
Mallard Creek, 2nd quarter	14.00
Manly	15.48
Marion	11.00
McMillan	3.50
Mebane	7.00
Mocksville	5.00
Mooresville 1st	20.00
Mooresville 2nd, 2nd quarter	17.25
Morven, Sept.	4.25
Oct.	4.65
Mount Holly, Men's B. C.	10.00
Women's B. C.	2.00
Mount Olive	9.50
Mulberry, Sept.	8.95
Myers Park, Men's Club	50.00
Nahalah, Aug.	1.71
Sept.	1.56
Oct.	1.27
New Hope (KM), Sept.	8.52
Oct.	9.24
New Hope (O)	4.44
New Hope (W), Aug., Sept. & Oct.	6.00
North Charlotte, Special	7.49
North Vanguard, Special Birthday	6.14
North Wilkesboro, Sept.	17.71
Oct.	26.16
Oak Hill, July	1.00
Aug.	1.05
Sept.	1.50
Olivia	17.00
Park Place, Sept.	4.32
Oct.	3.19
Paw Creek, 2nd quarter	41.51
Philadelphia	9.51
Pinetops, Aug., Sept. & Oct.	6.04
Pittsboro	2.42
Pocket, Sept.	1.43
Pollocksville, Young Girls' Aid	3.00
Prospect	8.75
Raeford, 2nd quarter	30.00
Raleigh 1st, Moment Class, Sept.	6.75
Oct.	6.75
Red House, Junior Class & Aux., 3rd quarter	2.10
Roanoke Rapids, July	6.04
Aug.	6.21
Sept.	8.76
Robinson, Sept.	6.00
Rockfish, 2nd quarter	7.86
Rockingham	27.69
Rocky Mount 1st, Aug.	13.75
Men's B. C., Aug.	15.25
Sept.	15.00
Rowland, April	4.19
May	4.13
June	7.75
July	4.88
Aug.	4.59
Sept.	5.37
Rutherfordton, 2nd quarter, regular	20.29
Birthday Offerings	3.67
Saint Paul (F)	19.21
Salisbury 1st	7.73
Everyman's B. C., Sept.	25.00
Campbell B. C.	5.00
Rumple B. C.	5.00
Salisbury 2nd	13.57
Shelby 1st	31.67
Shiloh (C), July	1.14
Aug.	1.27
Sept.	1.15
Smyrna (F), 2nd quarter	15.66
Smyrna (O), Sept. & Oct.	3.87
South River	1.00
Springwood, 2nd quarter	4.82
Stanley Creek	10.00
Statesville 1st, Sept.	18.90
Steele Creek, Mrs. I. H. Freeman's Class	5.00
Stony Creek, 2nd quarter	5.93
Sunnyside, 2nd quarter	20.00
Tabernacle, 2nd quarter	3.00
Tabor	2.34
Tenth Avenue	24.69
Thyatira	11.05
Trinity Avenue	20.00
Union (KM)	4.00
Union Mills	3.25
Vass	14.87
Wallace, Sept.	8.41
Warrenton	8.25
West End	5.32
Westminster (M), Men's B. C.	6.45
Westminster (O)	19.24
Wildwood (W), 2nd quarter	8.00
Wilson 1st, Aug., Sept. & Oct.	20.12
Winston-Salem 1st, Sept.	33.87
Neal Anderson B. C., Sept.	23.00
Woodburn	25.00
Yanceyville	5.50

Auxiliaries

Alamance, Circle No. 3	4.00
No. 4	3.00
No. 6	2.00
Albemarle 1st	4.00
Antioch (F)	34.30
Ashpole	1.31
Badin	.70
Bethesda (F), Circles	5.00
Blacknall Memorial, Sept. through March	42.00
Buffalo (G)	4.00
Carthage, Circles	4.00
Central Steel Creek	2.10
Charlotte 1st	45.00
Charlotte 2nd	7.00
Cherryville	2.00
Columbus	.47
Covenant (O) Budget	4.00
Circles	9.35
Cypress	.11
Durham 1st, Circles, 6 months	84.00
Elise	7.20
Elizabethtown, Circles, Aug. through Nov.	8.00
Eno	3.00
Faison	9.00
Fountain, Aug. & Sept.	2.00
Gastonia 1st	13.00
Geo. W. Lee Memorial	60.00
Greensboro 1st, Budget	10.64
Circle 9, Special	10.00
Hamlet	3.50
Hawfields, Circles	13.55
High Point 1st	16.00
Hillsboro	12.00
Howard Memorial, Regular	9.00
Special	4.00
Huntersville	40.00
Immanuel, Budget	1.98
Special, 2nd quarter	8.70
Iona	.86
Jonesboro, Regular	.80
Special	3.00
Kinston, April through Sept.	24.00
Laurinburg, Budget	8.48
Circles, 2nd quarter	27.00
Lowell, Oct. through Jan.	4.00
Lumber Bridge, Sept. & Oct.	2.80
Madison	4.00
Mallard Creek, Business Girls' Circle, 2nd and 3rd quarters	4.00
Monroe	3.50
Mount Holly	6.20
Mount Olive	22.50
Mount Pisgah	.43
Myers Park	17.50
New Bern 1st	18.00
Newell	.35
New Hope (KM)	5.36
North Charlotte	.70
Old Fort	.38
Olney, Circles, 3rd quarter	15.00
Pinetops, July, Aug. & Sept.	6.00
Raeford	4.24
Raleigh 1st, Sept. & Oct.	32.00
Rex	.78
Roanoke Rapids, Circles	5.00
Rocky Mount 1st, Special	11.00
Rocky Mount 2nd	1.00
Rocky River	12.00
Rutherfordton	11.25
Saint Andrews (M)	.63
Saint Paul (F)	2.57
Salisbury 1st	34.00
Salisbury 2nd, Aug. & Sept.	6.00
Shelby 1st, Circles	5.00
Smithfield	12.00
Spencer, Circles No. 1	6.00
No. 2	6.00
No. 3	6.00
Teachey	3.05
Thomasboro	.44
Thyatira, Special	3.50
Sept. & Oct.	4.00
Wadesboro	7.87
Waxhaw	.28
West Avenue (M)	1.40
Westminster (M)	12.50
Westminster (O)	9.00
Westminster (W)	16.50
Budget	9.00
Wilson 1st, $1.00-per-month-per-circle, 12 months	72.00
Winston-Salem 1st	14.00

Y. P. Societies

Immanuel	.45

THANKSVIVING

Miscellaneous

C. H. Ross, Morganton	30.00
Ceasar Peyronel, Morganton	3.00
TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS THANKSGIVING	**$33.00**

Churches

Nahalah, A Friend	5.00
Philippi	5.00
Salisbury 1st, Mrs. Margaret C. Craig	100.00
Mrs. A. W. Cunningham	100.00
West Raleigh, Louis H. Harris	50.00
W. L. Clevenger	50.00

Auxiliaries

Thyatira, Circle 7	3.00
TOTAL CHURCHES REGULAR	**$4,250.92**
TOTAL CHURCHES THANKSGIVING	**$ 313.00**
GRAND TOTAL	**$4,563.92**